

## MINUTES

### MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

#### COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

**Call to Order:** Chair Nancy Ballance, on March 8, 2017 at 8:00 AM, in Room 102  
Capitol

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:**

Rep. Nancy Ballance, Chair (R)  
Rep. Randy Brodehl, Vice Chair (R)  
Rep. Kelly McCarthy, Vice Chair (D)  
Rep. Dan Bartel (R)  
Rep. Tom Burnett (R)  
Rep. Rob Cook (R)  
Rep. Mike Cuffe (R)  
Rep. Kimberly Dudik (D)  
Rep. Janet Ellis (D)  
Rep. Carl Glimm (R)  
Rep. Bradley Hamlett (D)  
Rep. Kenneth L. Holmlund (R)  
Rep. Mike Hopkins (R)  
Rep. Donald W. Jones (R)  
Rep. Jim Keane (D)  
Rep. Jon A. Knokey (R)  
Rep. Ryan Lynch (D)  
Rep. Rae Peppers (D)  
Rep. Marilyn Ryan (D)  
Rep. Brad Tschida (R)  
Rep. Tom Woods (D)

**Members Excused:**

Rep. Jimmy Patelis (R)

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Julie Johnson, Legislative Branch  
Joe Triem, Legislative Branch  
Sherri Row, Committee Secretary

**Audio Committees:** These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

**Committee Business Summary:**

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 2, 2/28/2017 Sections B and E

00:01:10 Chair Ballance

**Health and Human Services - Section B**

**Opening Statement:**

00:03:27 Rep. Cook

00:07:41 Rep. Patelis joined the meeting

00:07:57 Chair Ballance

**Agency Comment:**

00:09:07 Director Sheila Hogan, Department of Public Health and Human Services  
(DPHHS)

00:18:14 Chair Ballance

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:**

00:19:34 Rep. Knokey

00:21:51 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS

00:22:30 Chair Ballance

00:22:40 Rep. Knokey

00:23:15 Chair Ballance

00:23:42 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS

**Disability, Employment and Transition**

**Opening Statement:**

00:23:56 Rep. Cook

00:26:08 Chair Ballance

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:**

00:26:49 Vice Chair McCarthy

00:27:23 Rep. Cook

00:27:34 Rep. Glimm

00:28:06 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS

00:28:34 Chair Ballance

00:29:07 Rep. Ellis

00:29:58 Rep. Cook

00:31:13 Rep. Ellis

00:31:36 Chair Ballance

00:32:54 Rep. Woods

00:34:46 Rep. Cook

00:35:05 Rep. Keane

00:35:42 Rep. Cook

00:36:16 Rep. Dudik  
00:37:53 Rep. Cook  
00:38:12 Rep. Holmlund  
00:38:36 Rep. Cook  
00:39:14 Rep. Holmlund  
00:39:24 Rep. Cook  
00:39:28 Chair Ballance  
00:39:52 Rep. Cuffe  
00:40:21 Rep. Cook  
00:41:00 Vice Chair Brodehl  
00:43:56 Rep. Cook  
00:44:35 Chair Ballance  
00:45:18 Vice Chair McCarthy  
00:45:38 Rep. Cook  
00:45:54 Rep. Knokey  
00:47:04 Rep. Keane  
00:47:24 Rep. Cook  
00:47:39 Rep. Hamlett  
00:48:49 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS  
00:49:34 Rep. Hamlett  
00:49:54 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS  
00:50:25 Marie Matthews, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)  
00:51:35 Rep. Hamlett  
00:51:57 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
00:52:07 Rep. Ellis  
00:53:23 Rep. Cook  
00:56:34 Chair Ballance  
00:57:39 Rep. Ryan  
00:58:32 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS  
00:58:45 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
00:59:48 Chair Ballance  
01:00:11 Rep. Patelis  
01:00:37 Rep. Cook  
01:00:50 Rep. Patelis  
01:00:53 Chair Ballance  
01:00:56 Rep. Dudik  
01:01:42 Rep. Cook  
01:02:14 Rep. Keane  
01:03:08 Rep. Cook

### **Human and Community Services**

#### **Opening Statement:**

01:03:45 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None

#### **Public Comment:**

01:07:06 Charlie Briggs, Easter Seals-Good Will

**Questions from the Committee:**

01:09:40 Vice Chair Brodehl  
01:10:01 Rep. Cook  
01:10:42 Vice Chair Brodehl  
01:11:27 Rep. Ryan  
01:11:47 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS

**Child and Family Services**

**Opening Statement:**

01:12:48 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None

**Public Comment:**

01:14:56 Jani McCall, Intermountain Children's Home, Yellowstone Boys and Girls Ranch

**Questions from the Committee:**

01:18:27 Rep. Dudik  
01:18:46 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS  
01:19:05 Erica Johnston, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)  
01:19:20 Rep. Dudik  
01:19:43 Erica Johnston, DPHHS  
01:20:42 Rep. Dudik  
01:20:57 Erica Johnston, DPHHS  
01:21:16 Vice Chair McCarthy  
01:22:06 Jani McCall, Intermountain Children's Home, Yellowstone Boys and Girls Ranch

**Director's Office**

**Opening Statement:**

01:22:23 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:**

01:24:16 Vice Chair McCarthy  
01:25:30 Chair Ballance  
01:25:59 Vice Chair McCarthy  
01:26:41 Rep. Cook  
01:26:58 Vice Chair McCarthy  
01:27:13 Vice Chair Brodehl  
01:27:37 Rep. Cook  
01:28:04 Rep. Keane

**Child Support Enforcement Division****Opening Statement:**

01:29:10 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None**Public Comment:** None**Questions from the Committee:**

01:30:17 Rep. Ellis

01:30:42 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS

01:30:52 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

01:32:15 Rep. Tschida

01:32:49 Rep. Cook

**Business and Financial Services Division****Opening Statement:**

01:33:11 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None**Public Comment:** None**Questions from the Committee:**

01:34:48 Rep. Ellis

01:35:25 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS

01:35:47 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

01:38:46 Chair Ballance

01:39:02 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

01:40:03 Chair Ballance

01:40:07 Rep. Patelis

01:40:34 Rep. Cook

01:40:46 Rep. Keane

01:41:27 Rep. Cook

01:41:42 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

01:43:10 Rep. Keane

01:43:30 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

01:43:58 Rep. Cook

01:44:09 Chair Ballance

01:44:42 Rep. Knokey

01:45:28 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

01:45:59 Rep. Knokey

01:51:09 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

01:52:33 Chair Brodehl

01:53:08 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

01:53:11 Chair Brodehl

01:53:16 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
01:53:38 Vice Chair Brodehl  
01:54:01 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
01:54:35 Rep. Glimm  
01:55:36 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

**Public Health and Safety Division**

**Opening Statement:**

01:57:05 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:**

01:58:52 Rep. Dudik  
01:59:11 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS  
01:59:25 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
02:00:20 Rep. Dudik  
02:01:07 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
02:01:44 Chair Ballance  
02:01:47 Rep. Dudik  
02:01:57 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
02:02:03 Vice Chair McCarthy  
02:02:34 Rep. Cook

**Quality Assurance Division**

**Opening Statement:**

02:03:15 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:** None

**Technology Services Division**

**Opening Statement:**

02:04:20 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:**

02:05:04 Rep. Patelis  
 02:05:20 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
 02:05:46 Rep. Patelis  
 02:06:03 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
 02:06:12 Rep. Keane  
 02:06:30 Rep. Cook  
 02:06:40 Rep. Keane  
 02:08:09 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
 02:08:41 Chair Ballance  
 02:09:18 Rep. Keane  
 02:09:55 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
 02:10:24 Rep. Dudik  
 02:10:58 Vice Chair McCarthy  
 02:11:12 Rep. Cook  
 02:12:05 Vice Chair McCarthy  
 02:14:12 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
  
 02:14:41 Chair Ballance  
  
 02:14:47 Recessed  
 02:29:16 Reconvened with Vice Chair Brodehl excused

**Developmental Services Division****Opening Statement:**

02:29:30 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:**

02:31:53 Director Sheila Hogan, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)  
  
 02:32:38 Chair Ballance

**Public Comment:**

02:33:26 Ken Brown, Opportunity Resources  
 02:36:42 Mike Mahoney, Family Outreach Inc.  
 02:41:28 Rep. Dudik  
 02:41:48 Charlie Briggs, Easter Seals-Good Will  
 02:43:20 Kelly Johnson, Child Development Center (CDC)

**EXHIBIT(aph48a01)**

02:47:06 Kerry Dattilo, Quality Life Concepts  
 02:49:13 Lynn Morley, Quality Life Concepts  
 02:50:44 Jani McCall, Intermountain, Yellowstone Boys and Girls Ranch  
 02:51:38 Kelly Jepson, Full Circle Counseling Solutions  
 02:52:59 Patrick Flaherty, Family Outreach Inc.  
 02:53:59 Jim Uecher, Residential Support Services

02:56:07 Sheila Thompson, Opportunity Resources  
02:57:15 Eve Franklin, Montana Association of Community Disability Services (MACDS)

**Questions from the Committee:**

03:00:26 Vice Chair McCarthy  
003:01:19 Rep. Cook  
03:01:31 Eve Franklin, MACDS  
03:02:11 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:02:54 Eve Franklin, MACDS  
03:03:07 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:05:33 Rep. Cook  
03:05:40 Rep. Knokey  
03:06:59 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:07:38 Rep. Knokey  
03:08:47 Chair Ballance  
03:09:12 Rep. Hamlett  
03:09:43 Rep. Ellis  
03:10:33 Rep. Cook  
03:11:12 Rep. Burnett

**Health Resources Division****Opening Statement:**

03:12:07 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:**

03:14:55 Rep. Ellis  
03:15:33 Rep. Cook  
03:16:47 Rep. Woods  
03:17:01 Rep. Burnett  
03:17:09 Rep. Woods  
03:17:13 Rep. Burnett  
03:17:17 Rep. Woods  
03:17:57 Chair Ballance  
03:18:42 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:20:40 Rep. Cook  
03:21:10 Rep. Dudik  
03:21:25 Rep. Cook  
03:21:52 Alice Hecht, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)  
03:23:30 Rep. Dudik  
03:23:35 Joshua Poulette, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)  
03:24:36 Rep. Dudik  
03:24:51 Joshua Poulette, LFD  
03:25:47 Rep. Dudik

03:26:04 Chair Ballance  
03:27:21 Rep. Cook  
03:28:00 Rep. Ellis  
03:29:02 Rep. Cook  
03:29:07 Vice Chair Brodehl rejoined the meeting  
03:29:39 Rep. Ellis  
03:30:05 Chair Ballance

**Medicaid and Health Services**

**Opening Statement:**

03:30:36 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:**

03:31:54 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:32:27 Rep. Cook  
03:32:59 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:33:17 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

**Management and Fair Hearings**

**Opening Statement:**

03:34:50 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:** None

**Senior and Longterm Care:**

**Opening Statement:**

03:36:07 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None

03:41:05 Chair Ballance

**Public Comment:**

03:41:56 Darren Larson, self

**[EXHIBIT\(aph48a02\)](#)**

03:44:01 Travis Hoffman, Summit Independent Living

03:45:25 Chair Ballance

03:45:38 Isabella Stimec, Big Sky Care Center

03:47:13 Rose Hughes, Montana Healthcare Association

**[EXHIBIT\(aph48a03\)](#)****[EXHIBIT\(aph48a04\)](#)****[EXHIBIT\(aph48a05\)](#)****[EXHIBIT\(aph48a06\)](#)**

03:49:40 Amy Beames, Benefis Hospital

03:51:07 Kelly Bilau, Brendan House Skilled Nursing Facility

03:52:24 Lisa Helms, Welcov Healthcare

**[EXHIBIT\(aph48a07\)](#)**

03:52:55 Dale Patterson, EmpRes Healthcare

**Questions from the Committee:**

03:54:34 Rep. Knokey

03:55:34 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS

03:56:23 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

03:56:43 Rep. Knokey

03:56:46 Marie Matthews, DPHHS

03:57:36 Rep. Knokey

03:58:00 Rep. Cook

03:58:06 Rep. Knokey

04:00:36 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS

04:01:05 Rep. Tschida

04:01:39 Rep. Cook

04:02:04 Rep. Keane

04:02:33 Chair Ballance

04:02:39 Rep. Ellis

04:05:41 Rep. Cook

04:06:41 Rep. Burnett

04:08:16 Rep. Cook

04:08:33 Rep. Keane

04:09:12 Rep. Cook

04:10:09 Vice Chair McCarthy

04:11:31 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS

04:11:45 Vice Chair McCarthy

04:12:06 Chair Ballance

04:12:31 Mary Dalton, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)

04:13:35 Rep. Ellis

04:14:00 Sheila Hogan, DPHHS

**Addictive and Mental Disorders Division**

**Opening Statement:**

04:14:22 Rep. Cook

**Agency Comment:** None

**Public Comment:**

04:15:58 Kathy McGowan, Community Mental Health Centers

04:19:28 Matt Kuntz, National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)

**Questions from the Committee:**

04:21:22 Rep. Dudik

04:21:34 Vice Chair McCarthy

04:22:03 Rep. Ellis

04:22:10 Chair Ballance

**Closing Comments:**

04:22:28 Rep. Cook

04:23:32 Chair Ballance

04:24:07 Recessed

**Audio committee minutes for the afternoon session continue on a separate archive.**

00:00:00 Reconvened

00:00:07 Chair Ballance

00:00:58 Joe Triem, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

00:02:22 Chair Ballance

**Education - Section E**

**Office of Public Instruction**

**Opening Statement:**

00:02:41 Rep. Jones

**Agency Comment:**

00:11:04 Superintendent Elsie Arntzen, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)

**[EXHIBIT\(aph48a08\)](#)**

**Public Comment:**

00:20:18 Robert Currie, Montana Digital Academy

[EXHIBIT\(aph48a09\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(aph48a10\)](#)

00:28:28 Dennis Parman, Montana Rural Education Association

[EXHIBIT\(aph48a11\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(aph48a12\)](#)

00:31:55 Kirk Miller, School Administrators of Montana (SAM)

00:39:04 Marco Ferro, MEA-MFT

00:39:37 Diane Burke, Montana Quality Education Coalition (MQEC)

00:40:29 Bob Vogel, Montana School Board Association (MTSBA)

00:42:22 Denise Williams, Montana School Business Officials (MTBSO)

00:43:07 Christine Whitlatch, Self

**Questions from the Committee:**

00:44:47 Rep. Woods

00:48:55 Superintendent Arntzen, OPI

00:49:21 Rep. Jones

00:49:38 Chair Ballance

00:50:24 Superintendent Arntzen, OPI

00:50:30 Jim Standaert, Office of Public Instruction (OPI)

00:52:01 Chair Ballance

00:52:25 Jim Standaert, OPI

00:54:46 Chair Ballance

00:55:18 Superintendent Arntzen, OPI

00:57:34 Chair Ballance

00:58:15 Superintendent Arntzen, OPI

00:59:55 Rep. Hamlett

01:00:19 Superintendent Arntzen, OPI

01:00:40 Chair Ballance

01:00:47 Rep. Woods

01:01:47 Superintendent Arntzen, OPI

01:03:25 Rep. Ellis

01:04:11 Rep. Jones

01:04:34 Rep. Knokey

01:08:09 Kirk Miller, SAM

01:10:15 Chair Ballance

01:10:52 Rep. Knokey

01:11:05 Kirk Miller, SAM

01:11:44 Chair Ballance

01:12:52 Robert Currie, Montana Digital Academy

01:15:43 Rep. Patelis

01:16:24 Robert Currie, Montana Digital Academy

01:17:53 Rep. Hamlett

01:19:05 Chair Ballance

01:19:11 Rep. Burnett

01:19:42 Rep. Jones

**Board of Public Education**

**Opening Statement:**

01:20:08 Rep. Jones

01:21:43 Chair Ballance relinquishes chair to Rep. Hopkins

01:22:35 Chair Hopkins

**Agency Comment:**

01:22:46 Peter Donovan, Board of Public Education

**Public Comment:**

01:23:43 Dennis Parman, Montana Rural Education Association

01:24:02 Kirk Miller, School Administrators of Montana (SAM)

**Questions from the Committee:** None

**Montana School for the Deaf and Blind**

**Opening Statement:**

01:24:39 Rep. Jones

01:26:26 Chair Ballance resumes chair

**Agency Comment:**

01:27:44 Superintendent Donna Sorensen, Montana School for the Deaf and Blind

**Public Comment:**

01:30:05 Kirk Miller, SAM

**Questions from the Committee:** None

**Montana Arts Council**

**Opening Statement:**

01:31:10 Rep. Jones

**Agency Comment:**

01:32:47 Kristin Burgoyne, Montana Arts Council

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:**

01:33:53 Rep. Burnett  
01:34:07 Kristin Burgoyne, Montana Arts Council  
01:34:36 Chair Ballance  
01:35:09 Kristin Burgoyne, Montana Arts Council  
01:35:32 Rep. Woods  
01:35:39 Chair Ballance  
01:36:11 Rep. Bartel  
01:36:33 Rep. Jones  
01:37:05 Kristin Burgoyne, Montana Arts Council  
01:37:34 Rep. Jones  
01:37:41 Rep. Burnett  
01:38:05 Robert Miller, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)  
01:38:18 Rep. Jones

**Montana State Library**

**Opening Statement:**

01:38:33 Rep. Jones

**Agency Comment:**

01:40:49 Jennie Stapp, Montana State Library (MSL)

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:**

01:43:53 Rep. Burnett  
01:44:50 Rep. Keane  
01:45:14 Jennie Stapp, MSL  
01:45:29 Rep. Woods

**Montana Historical Society**

**Opening Statement:**

01:46:08 Rep. Jones

**Agency Comment:**

01:48:32 Director Bruce Whittenberg, Montana Historical Society (MHS)

**Public Comment:** None

**Questions from the Committee:** None

01:54:52 Chair Ballance

01:55:19 Recess

02:10:05 Reconvened

**Montana University System****Opening Statement:**

02:10:20 Rep. Jones

02:16:16 Chair Ballance

**Agency Comment:**

02:16:38 Commissioner Clayton Christian, Office of the Commissioner of Higher Education (OCHE)

02:27:12 Jane Karas, Flathead Community College

02:29:41 Rep. Woods

02:30:58 Chair Ballance

**Public Comment:**

02:31:02 Chad Knudson, Dawson Community College

02:32:09 Christine Whitlatch, Glendive Chamber of Commerce

02:37:06 Bob Gilbert, City of Glendive

**EXHIBIT(aph48a13)**

02:40:18 Pat Mischel, self

02:42:55 Wade Murphy, Dawson County High School

02:48:24 Brian Fulton, Dawson Community College Graduate

02:51:02 Rhett Coon, Glendive Small Business Owner

02:53:14 Brendan Heidner, Dawson Community College Student

02:54:46 Cheyene Damron, Dawson County High School Senior

02:57:33 Rep. Alan Doane, HD 36

02:58:44 Richard Rowe, Oil and Gas Drilling Company

03:00:13 Mike Wilondek, self

03:02:23 Jordan Vietue, Glendive Public Schools

03:03:24 Kortney Eiker Diegel, Dawson Community College Alumni

03:06:44 Beth Epley, Eastern Plains Economic Development Corporation

03:10:26 Debra Depke, self

**Questions from the Committee:**

03:12:27 Rep. Hopkins

03:12:40 Rep. Jones

03:13:24 Rep. Woods

03:15:18 Chair Ballance

03:15:38 Rep. Woods

03:16:04 Rep. Hamlett

03:18:29 Rep. Tschida

03:19:28 Rep. Knokey

03:21:14 Rep. Jones

03:22:54 Rep. Keane

03:23:20 Clayton Christian, OCHE

03:24:10 Rep. Cuffe

03:26:18 Rep. Dudik

03:26:36 Rep. Jones  
03:26:51 Rep. Dudik  
03:26:59 Rep. Jones  
03:27:28 Rep. Tschida  
03:31:11 Clayton Christian, OCHE  
03:34:40 Rep. Ryan  
03:34:59 Chair Ballance  
03:35:47 Rep. Woods  
03:35:54 Chair Ballance

**Public Comment - Program 9:**

03:38:40 Sam Forstag, Associated Students of the University of Montana (ASUM)  
03:40:21 Abigail Belcher, Associated Students of the University of Montana (ASUM)  
03:40:47 Dillon Ecord, Associated Students of the Montana State University (ASMSU)  
03:41:36 Brenna Love, University of Montana (UM)  
03:42:24 Andy Bixler, Montana Associated Students (MAS)  
03:43:40 Caleb Chestnut, Associated Students of the University of Montana (ASUM)  
03:45:16 Katy Westhoff, Montana Public Interest Research Group (MPIRG)  
03:46:23 Ben Kuiper, University of Montana (UM)  
03:46:56 Sarah Colenso, Associated Students of the University of Montana (ASUM)  
  
03:50:15 Chair Ballance

**Questions from the Committee:**

03:52:36 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:52:58 Rep. Jones  
03:53:19 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:53:39 Clayton Christian, OCHE  
03:53:48 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:54:14 Sam Forstag, ASUM  
03:54:18 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:54:20 Sam Forstag, ASUM  
03:54:37 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:55:21 Chair Ballance  
03:55:25 Vice Chair McCarthy  
03:55:49 Chair Ballance  
03:55:54 Clayton Christian, OCHE  
04:00:06 Vice Chair McCarthy  
04:00:23 Rep. Hamlett  
04:00:55 Chair Ballance  
04:01:17 Rep. Hamlett  
04:01:58 Chair Ballance  
04:02:27 Clayton Christian, OCHE  
04:02:51 Tyler Trevor, Office of the Commissioner of Higher Education (OCHE)  
04:05:11 Chair Ballance

**Closing Statement:**

04:05:44 Rep. Jones  
04:06:58 Chair Ballance

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 04:07:46

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Sherri Row, Secretary

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Additional Documents:

**EXHIBIT([aph48aad.pdf](#))**